

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

DPD 6555-59

25 September 1959

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Administrative Branch, DPD

ATTENTION: Personnel Officer

25X1A SUBJECT: Replacement for [REDACTED]

25X1A 1. I have reviewed the records of the officer proposed as [REDACTED]  
25X1A [REDACTED] replacement and do not feel that this individual would meet  
all desired qualifications.

2. In addition to the necessary technical qualifications in photo-  
graphic equipment and aerial reconnaissance techniques and procedures,  
subject replacement should be a rated pilot. I consider this desirable  
for two reasons. First, to bridge the gap between the technical aspects  
of any equipment problem and the employment of such equipment in actual  
aerial operations. Secondly, I prefer to be able to utilize this officer  
in a dual capacity as an Air Operations Officer (AFSC 1416) when necessary.  
25X1A This latter function has been performed by [REDACTED] on many occasions.

25X1A

[REDACTED]  
Chief, Operations Branch

RSQ:bm

2 - forward

2 - Ops

1 - RI

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~